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1. The 1954 "Research and Technology" Plan of VEB Hydrierwerk Zeitz¹ contains eleven research and development projects. The following persons are engaged in carrying out these projects:

Dr. Kuehnhauss (fnu)	Dr. Schmidt (fnu)
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Dipl. Ing. Kressner (fnu)	Dipl. Chem. Reinhardt (fnu)
Ing. Huettig (fnu)	Ing. Dietze (fnu)
2. The projects are carried out in the High-Pressure, Engineering and Measurement Techniques Departments of the enterprise. A total of 1,450,000 DEM were approved for all projects in 1954².
3. The following table lists the projects, the individual total allotted for 1954, and the amounts actually spent during the first quarter of 1954. All amounts are in thousands of DEM.

Project	Total Funds	Amount spent First quarter
Catalytic processing of light oil ¹	1954	1954
T-ester	320	15.3
Analytical investigation of hydrocarbons	240	62.1
Refining of lubricants	85	11.8
Single hydrocarbons	70	16.6
Hydrogenation catalysts	175	33.8
Thiophen (sic) ⁴	70	7.3
X-ray absorption paste	180	28.0
De-ashing of tar	40	5.7
TOT procedures ³	105	12.7
Analytical investigation of lubricants	125	15.4
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TOTAL	1,450	13.5
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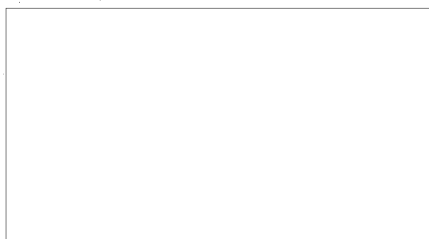
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1/ Comment. An SAG enterprise until 31 December 1953; now under the Main Administration of Liquid Fuels in Production Area Chemistry of the East German Ministry for Heavy Industry. 25X1

2/ Comment. This amount was later reduced to 1,305,000 DM by the Ministry for Heavy Industry within the program of "utmost economy". 25X1

3/ Comment. THH means low-temperature hydrogenation (Tief-Temperatur-Hydrierung). 25X1

4/ Comment. Possibly thiophene. 25X1



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